

# The Adair County News.

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## ROBBERY DEVELOPMENTS.

Since the arrest, confession and incarceration of Ben Milan, Jo Henry McAlary and Geo. Campbell, the negroes who broke into Russell & Co.'s store, it has developed, McAlary making the statement, that the drawer containing the money, three hundred dollars, taken from the safe, was first carried to Campbell's shop. Here the three discussed what was best to be done. They first decided that they would burn the checks, but afterwards concluded that would not be the right thing to do. They then decided that there was too much money for them to keep, and agreed to take out so much and return the drawer containing the balance to the store. So they counted out eighty-seven dollars and divided it and carried the remainder back to the store, entered the same window and laid the cash drawer on the floor, near the safe. It was while making their escape from the store that the were discovered by Mr. S. F. White.

Geo Campbell still claims that he had nothing to do with the robbery, but the evidence against him is conclusive. The parties will be brought before Judge Hancock for examining trial today (Tuesday) but in all probability an examination will be waived, referring the case to the grand jury which will convene the third Monday in this month.

## FROM GREENSBURG TO BURKESVILLE.

### Editor News:

About this time last year, I advertised in your valuable paper "17,500 rolls wall paper, sufficient paper to cover the road from Greensburg to Gradyville, Milltown, to Columbia and back to Greensburg." The advertisement was not only attracted attention, it made sales for me to some of the best people in Adair county, among the number, Mrs. J. A. Diddle, Mrs. R. G. Breeding, Mrs. W. H. Hudson Mrs. Sarah L. Hadley, Mrs. H. B. Garnett, Mr. Charles Murray and many others, to all of whom I wish to express my gratitude for letters asking for samples or for orders to ship paper.

To my customers in Adair and adjoining counties, I wish to announce that my stock of wall paper will be larger this year than ever before, that I will have sufficient paper to cover every room in Green and Adair counties, enough to cover a twelve foot wagon road from Greensburg to the Cumberland river at Burksville, Ky., and back to Greensburg. If any one doubts this, they may ascertain the truthfulness of the statement by visiting my place of business and taking an inventory of the stock of papers on hand, and it is my belief that they will exclaim, as did the Queen of Sheba "The half has not been told." I can sell sufficient paper to cover a small room, side ceiling and border, at 75 cents, other papers at five cents to fifty cents per roll. Have a beautiful line of solid colors, white moire, gilt bands, all at the very lowest prices. Will gladly send samples.

Respectfully,  
John A. Hobson,  
Greensburg Ky.

## CHANGE IN BUSINESS.

Mr. Jo Russell, who has been a traveling salesman for many years, has purchased Mr. Ray Conover's interest in the dry goods establishment of Russell & Co. and is now in possession.

Mr. Russell is a gentleman of excellent business attainments, popular with every body and there is not a doubt but he will command a liberal share of trade throughout this county. Mr. Conover leaves the firm with the best wishes of all concerned. He is a perfect gentleman, his association with the firm being exceedingly pleasant.

It will be his business to collect outstanding accounts, and for some time will make his headquarters at the store.

## NOT ALL CAUGHT.

Thieves visited the business place of the Columbia Singletree company last Wednesday night, but failed to secure any property. They were overheard trying to remove articles, and were fired upon by the factory hands. The

thieves returned the fire, and one ball passed through the brim of the hat of one of the employees of the concern. They also visited the mill of the Standard Hardwood Lumber Company, carrying off a valuable piece of machinery. It is only a question of time when these night prowlers will come to grief.

It will probably be of some interest to many of our readers to know who was the first County Judge of Adair county. It was Eli Wheat, who was appointed by the Governor June 9, 1861. Before this time the county courts were held by three magistrates. At the time Mr. Wheat was commissioned Judge, he resided in the dwelling on Jamestown street, now owned by Mr. Scott Montgomery. Mr. Wheat was also carrying on the saddlery business in his shop being in the little frame building in the Leasburg property, and later used as a postoffice.

Mr. E. O. White who has been with his own friends in Columbia and in the county, hunting and making social calls, will leave for his place of business about the 10th of the month. He has had fine luck, shooting, having bagged a large number of rabbits and quail. His friends throughout the county regret that it is necessary for him to cut his visit short. He is now making his headquarters at Louisville and hopes to be able to drop in on often.

Prof. A. J. Boyer, of Middleboro, a musician of many years experience, is in Columbia for the purpose of getting up a class in stringed instruments. He is also a cornet player, and has had eighteen years experience in instructing orchestras and bands. If suitable arrangements can be made, Prof. Boyer calculates to give a concert on violin and other stringed instruments at an early day.

For many years local male buyers have been shipping several car-loads of stock to Southern markets each winter. This year there will be no miles shipped to market by local dealers. The fact is, there has not been interest enough for buyers to round up car loads. However, we learn that prices are getting better in the South, and a little later there may be a demand for mules.

The Knight's Templars of this place, who attended the banquet at Lebanon New Year's night, report that it was a most enjoyable affair. Knights Templar's from all over Kentucky were in attendance, many of them being accompanied by their wives and daughters. Besides the magnificent banquet there were a number of interesting speeches by local and visiting Knight Templars.

Mr. Luther Chapman reports that 342 quail lost their lives by the fire of his gun during the bird season. Mr. Chapman led in the killing of quail in the year 1906 and unless some sport has been in the county and put in his record undoubtedly he will still hold his record. A report from others will be heard.

The following gentlemen make up the new Municipal Board: J. O. Russell, Jas. Garnett, Sam Lewis, Horace Jeffries and Sam Beck. The oath of office was administered to them last Monday. It is an excellent set of gentlemen, and it is confidently believed they will do the town good service during the time they remain in office.

Mr. W. H. Kniffey sold his fine 2-year-old Silver King stallion to Robt. Allen, of Casey county, for \$200. He is a fine individual, 15½ hands high, and a beauty in every particular. The Price indicates a drop in the selling of horses.

The Farmer's Bank of Casey's Creek, publishes a statement in the News today. It shows that the business of the institution is steadily increasing under its careful and safe management. Read the statement.

The roads throughout the county are said to be in a fearful condition. We have been trying to convince the road workers for several years that the time to work the highways is in dry weather.

Circuit Court will convene the third Monday in this month. The docket is larger than usual, and it will require the full two weeks to get through with the business.

## POPULAR COUPLE

### TO WED.

This (Tuesday) Evening at 8:30 Mr. L. M. Young and Miss Rooney Stults Will be United in Marriage.

### IT WILL BE A VERY QUIET AFFAIR.

This (Tuesday) evening at 8:30 o'clock Mr. L. M. Young, a popular grocer, of this place, will be married to Miss Rooney Stults, a very attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Stults. The ceremony will take place at the home of the intended bride's parents, the officiating clergyman being Rev. A. R. Kasey, of the Methodist church. Attendants, Mr. A. S. Chewning and Miss Alice Walker.

The porches will be handsomely decorated and relatives and a few intimate friends will witness the ceremony.

The groom is a native of Cumberland county, but has been a resident of Columbia for two years. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Young, of Waterview, and a brother of Mr. R. K. Young, of this place, and his gentlemanly deportment has made him many staunch friends, who will be glad to extend him the hand of congratulation.

The intended bride perhaps knows more people in Adair county than any other young lady of her age. She has been an efficient helper in her father's office, County Court Clerk's office, for several years, giving her an opportunity to form a wide acquaintance. Her gentle manners and handsome face has made her friends throughout the county, all of whom will be glad to learn that she is to wed a young man of sterling character.

As an evidence of the popularity of this very deserving couple many presents have been received.

The News extends its best wishes, trusting that their plighted love will remain unbroken down to good old age.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Young will have apartments at the Columbia Hotel.

## HIGHLY APPRECIATED.

Rev. W. H. C. Sandidge, wife and children, desire to return their grateful thanks to the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church Lewis-ton, Penn, for a box of Christmas presents valued at about eighty dollars. The box contained two suits of clothes, dress patterns and many useful articles. It was a free will offering, and coming as it did, from a Christian society, far from home, it was highly appreciated, and the donors will ever have a warm place in the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Sandidge.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our thanks, through your paper to our many relatives and friends, for their assistance during the brief illness of our little daughter, Leone. Especially do we thank Dr. L. D. Hammond, of Irvin-stone, for his untiring efforts to save her. But all that medical aid and kind friends could do availed nothing. She yielded to that dreaded disease called croup, and quietly passed away on Dec. 20, 1907. The last song she ever sang was:

"I am going in the morning,  
And in glory I shall dwell;  
Oh, that I had that free from sadness,  
Where we'll never say farewell."  
We believe her little soul is happy with Christ in heaven.  
C. P. Walters.

## MARRIED.

Mr. Porter Flowers, well-known in this community, was married at Gradyville last Sunday to Mrs. Diddle Bragg. Mr. Flowers is an industrious mechanic and has a number of friends throughout the county.

The bride is a very estimable lady. The couple will reside at Gradyville.

Born, to the wife of Clint Smith, Jan. 6th, a son.

Mr. Geo. Staples says he knows several parties who will engage in the grocery business in Columbia provided they can secure upstairs apartments. There are so many on first floors, the new men think they could do much better in quiet quarters.

During the year 1907 there were 156 white marriage licenses issued from the Adair County Clerk's office, and 21 to colored people, making a total of 177, the largest number ever issued in the county in any one year.

Surveyors have opened a highway from Bull Run school house to the Egypt neighborhood. The opening of this road will afford the people in the Egypt country a better way to get to Columbia.

The residence and all its contents, belonging to Mr. Wethington which was located on the Casey's creek and Clements-ville road, was destroyed by fire one day during Christmas. The loss is twelve or fifteen hundred dollars, no insurance.

Mr. Jo Scott and Mr. Tom Richardson, brothers-in-law, had trouble near Coburg during the holidays, and it is reported that Mr. Richardson got badly hurt about the head. It is said that bad feelings had existed for some time.

Mrs. Bettie W. Butler entertained sixteen couples of young people last Tuesday evening, in honor of Miss Kate Vardeman, of Marshall, Mo. Refreshments were served and the hours delightfully spent.

It will be gratifying to the patrons of the Citizens Bank, Columbia, Ky., to read the statement of its condition, published in the News this week. It is doing a very satisfactory business, showing that it is being safely managed by its officers.

The balance of the money due the Adair county school teachers for the month of December has not been received by Mrs. Georgia Shelton, school Superintendent. It will probably arrive in a few days, and as soon as it reaches Columbia teachers will be notified.

Fire alarm from the residence of Mrs. Lena Paull, last Tuesday night, about 7 o'clock, created a great deal of excitement, a large crowd soon reaching the residence. Fortunately it was only the turning over of a lamp, doing but little damage.

Little Elizabeth Hall drank some coal oil one day last week, thinking it was water. When the mother first discovered what the child had done, she was greatly alarmed, but her anxiety turned to joy when no bad effects developed.

Misses Lina-Rosenfield and Kate Walker were evidently highly entertained at Bradfordsville. The Lebanon papers spoke of a number of social gatherings in their honor. Last Friday night Miss Bess Walker gave them a "swell" social, young people from all over the country attending.

The board of Trustees of the town of Columbia do ordain as follows:

That the regular monthly meeting of this board shall be held on the first Monday night in each month. Said meetings shall be held in the second story over The Adair County News office that part of the building owned by Robin Hurt. Approved Jan. 6, 1908.

JAMES GARNETT, Clerk.  
Chairman.

There are only about fifteen or eighteen persons, born and reared in Columbia, who have reached and passed their fiftieth mile stone, who are now residents of the town.

If the young people want to have a big time, a tearing down time, a time that will do to talk about, let them get up a leap year party. Such a gathering furnishes fun to sell.

All notes and accounts owing me are now due and I need the money. If you have not settled your account please do so at once or you will receive a statement. W. L. Walker.

If you have a young lady friend, and would like for her to own a gold watch, subscribe for the News and enter her name in the contest.

## PAID LIST.

The following subscribers have paid since last issue:

J. W. Kniffey, H. C. Bennett, G. M. Dillon, G. P. Burrens, N. B. Miller, W. L. Taylor, A. R. Hutchinson, S. W. Miller, Gordon Montgomery, W. T. McFarland, J. N. Conover, S. H. Murrell, Wm. Butler, Mont Montgomery, Jo Russell, Clee Sherrill, Wm. Francis, Mrs. Bettie Butler, Z. M. Staples, J. K. P. Conover, E. G. Shaw, S. A. McMahon, A. S. Chewning, Nora Lawless, N. M. Tutt, D. M. Moore, J. P. Dohoney, J. W. Karnes, E. L. Moss, W. W. Jones, W. H. Johnston, Mrs. Annie M. Bartlett, John McFarland, M. T. Thomas, Sam Lewis, Mat Wethington, Ben Wethington, U. G. Hendrickson, Mrs. Mary Garnett, N. B. Roach, Hubert Barger, Elam Harris, W. W. Brockman, R. M. Briley, Mrs. Mary Beanchamp, W. P. Salmon, G. G. Morrison, J. W. Garnett, W. B. Page, W. J. Givens, R. J. Austin, C. R. Warriner, W. T. Grissom, J. H. Smith, J. L. Wells, Mary Evans, Ben L. Royse, F. H. Dohoney, S. W. Absher, J. P. Todd, E. S. Todd, G. B. Chesetham, L. V. Turner, U. N. Whitfield, J. H. Breeding, Silas Cain, P. H. Bridgewater, Mrs. T. L. Upton, J. W. Sweeney, E. J. Page, J. R. Wade, T. J. Epperson, Creed Stotts, R. P. Bridgewater, C. R. Williams, W. G. McKinley, Geo. W. Curry, R. T. McCaffree, O. R. McCaffree, Cree Hood, J. H. Reynolds, J. W. Hanson, Claud Callison, Geo. Al. Murry, M. L. Grant, G. R. Redmon, J. N. Squires, W. T. Walker, R. R. Conover, Alvin J. Rossen, L. R. Humble, R. B. Wilson, Solomon McFarland, J. W. Hurt, R. L. Caldwell, T. L. Harrison, Simeon Murrell, G. W. Staples, G. W. Lowe, H. C. Walker.

## DIED IN LONDON, ENGLAND.

On Tuesday, the 24th day of December, 1907, Mr. Leopole Lewis, aged 82 years, died at his late home, London, England. The immediate cause of his death was bronchitis. The deceased is survived by three sons and one daughter—Mr. Sam Lewis, of this place, Mr. Jacob and Miss Mary Lewis, London, Eng., and Mr. Zach Lewis, who resides in Southern Africa. The deceased was born in Germany, but for many years he made his home in London, where he was an active business man.

The intelligence of this death was received by Mr. Sam Lewis last Sunday morning, and in his bereavement he has the sympathy of this community.

## THE M. AND F. HIGH SCHOOL.

The management of the M. and F. High school announces that the dormitories are open to the boarding pupils. Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Grissom are living in the girl's dormitory and will have immediate care of the young ladies.

Prof. Darnall has rooms to the boys dormitory and will have control of the boys.

Ruel Hutchinson, the champion logger, has the contract for the Page timber, and is getting along with the work nicely. We wish him success, for there is very few who can come up with him bawling logs.

All accounts are now due and must be settled. If you have not got the money don't wait to be called on but come in and settle. W. L. Walker.

But few traveling men have made Columbia in the last three weeks. From now until the middle of February one or more will put in an appearance daily.

A very creditable statement of the Cane Valley Bank appears in to-day's paper. This institution is in good hands, its business steadily increasing. Read the statement.

This is leap year. An exchange says that every time a wedding is announced during the year some people will say "she proposed."

After a vacation of one week, the two institutions of learning here opened with increased attendance, and pupils are arriving daily.

The new municipal board went into office Monday night. Hon. Jas. Garnett was elected Mayor of the city.



## THE SCARCITY OF MONEY.

What Will Bring About Better Times in Adair County.

### PUSH YOUR TRUCK TO MARKET.

The scarcity of money in circulation has been the universal cry throughout Adair county for the past three months, and while the banks have come in for their share of censure for refusing to loan funds at this particular time, the farmers, the stock dealers, lumber and stave handlers have had much to do with the stringency in the local money market. Every thing in the way of stock is low, as is also lumber and staves, and there is nothing at this time to indicate that prices are going to advance soon.

Money is something the people can not well get along without, hence natives will have to move out their truck at market prices. Perhaps sacrifices will have to be made, but would it not be better to sell at the market price than to continue to hold, not knowing when better prices will make their appearance? Corn is now selling at \$3.00 per barrel. There are many hogs in the county, and to continue to feed them three dollar grain, to us it seems, would be a losing business. Sell your swine and invest your money in something else. The same can be said of the lumber and staves now stacked in the county. We once knew a merchant who had an auction sale every month here in Columbia and he told the writer it paid him, from the fact that he got rid of his hard stock, turning the money into articles that would sell. Of course he sold at auction for less than actual cost, but he was reimbursed by investing in fresh good, goods that were in demand.

Hence we believe that the stock, lumber and staves in the county should be placed upon the market. If this step was taken, it would be but a few weeks until money would be plentiful and a moving spirit would be seen throughout the county of Adair. Try it.

Mr. James Kelsey, son of Dr. Butler Kelsey, deceased, and Miss Ada Chapman, daughter of the late Capt. J. S. Chapman, were married at Glenville a few days ago. On the same day Mr. William Melson and Miss Collins were united in marriage. Both couples were married by Rev. G. R. Abrel.

Mr. J. N. Coffey received a letter from Hon. Geo. Nell, who is spending the winter in Florida, a few days ago. The writer stated that he was evidently improving in health, and had gained six pounds since he reached the sunny South. He also stated that the climate was delightful, fruit of all kinds in great abundance, and alligators of all ages and sizes can be seen sunning most any day. Mr. Nell is a great lover of the canine tribe

and he will probably bring a "purp" and an alligator home with him.

Lawrence Wilkinson, who is erecting a handsome residence at Glenville, will soon have it completed.

Monday was county court. A large crowd in town and business fairly good. A little stock on the market, prices ruling low.

Mr. E. A. Strange, who was born and reared at Glenville, will leave for the blue-grass section in a short time for the purpose of locating.

Wilkinson & Son, who are operating a saw mill at Glenville, have removed the machinery across the road on a lot adjoining the school house lot.

The News is now handing out nice calendars to every new subscriber and to every old subscriber who renews. They are handsome. Come and get one.

Mr. Lewis Morgan, who recently sold his farm on Gensfork, has removed to Glenville where he will make his home until he can find a farm to suit him.

Sam Williams, who was recently converted to the Holiness belief, is conducting a meeting at Concord Church in the Grider neighborhood. A great many are attending the services.

The M. and F. High school received a number of new pupils last week and others will come in this week. Prof. Darnall and his assistants are doing good work and they feel sure the old institution will make a good record this year.

A large number of new pupils arrived last week and they continue to come. The Lindsey-Wilson now has more pupils enrolled than it did at this time last year. The principal confidently believes that the school will be as largely patronized this year as it was last.

The week of prayer is now in progress and will continue during the week. The meetings will alternate from church to church. Interesting talks will be made each evening by ministers and laymen, and every body is cordially invited to attend the meetings. Services opened at the Presbyterian church, Rev. A. R. Kasey preaching the introductory sermon.

### PAINFUL ACCIDENT.

Olie Bault, a young man living near Cane Valley, met with a serious accident during the holidays. A party of young boys were shooting giant firecrackers, and some one in the crowd touched the fuse, threw one out. It was a long time firing, and thinking the fuse had died, young Bault went and picked up the cracker, and just as he did so, it exploded, tearing his hand in a fearful condition. It required ten or twelve stitches to close up the gap.

### NEAT-BURTON.

Last Wednesday, the first day of January, 1908, Mr. John F. Neat Circuit court clerk of Adair county, was married to Miss Annie Burton, daughter of Mr. John Ed Burton, Vester. It was a quiet affair, only relatives and a few special friends being present.

Mr. Neat is engaged in the mercantile business in the neighborhood where he married. He is quite popular in the locality, and it is said that he is doing a lucrative business. The bride is said to have been a favorite among her associates, who will greatly miss her from the young society circle.

It is our understanding that the couple will go to house-keeping, and will reside near Vester. We trust that this union will be a blessing to the contracting parties.

### IMPROVING.

Mrs. Sue Miller, wife of Dr. S. P. Miller, this place, who has been confined to her bed for several months, is considerably better. For several weeks she has been a great sufferer, a severe pain being in her side. Last week several doctors of the town made an examination and decided that she had an abscess. An operation was performed and several pints of puss taken. Since the operation Mrs. Miller has been improving.

### WILL NOT REMOVE.

Rev. E. W. Barnett and Rev. J. P. Scruggs, former pastors of the Baptist Church in this place, and who were here during the holidays, informed the News that they would not remove from their present locations. Mr. Barnett is pastor of the Church at Corbin and Mr. Scruggs has charge of the Church at Midway. They are both delighted with their work and the citizenship of their respective communities.

### LEG BROKEN.

Mr. Lo Bryant, who is a brother of Mr. Walker Bryant, this place, had the misfortune to get one of his legs broken last Wednesday morning, January 1, 1908. He was "snaking" logs near Little Cake and in some way his limb got caught with the result as above stated.

Dr. W. R. Grissom was called to the scene of the accident as soon as it occurred. At this writing the patient is doing very well.

### MORNING GLORY.

It is a rare occurrence to see a morning glory in full bloom at this season of the year, yet strange things in nature come to light. Last Wednesday morning Mrs. J. F. Russell, of this place, upon going to her flower pots, was highly delighted to find a "Morning Glory" in full bloom. It is reported to be exceedingly handsome.

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### DON'TS FOR CHURCHMEN.

Don't complain of your church duties.

Where love is, one forgets labor.

Don't claim that you are already saved. Character begins in the cradle and ends in the grave.

Don't try to hug to yourself the blessings you receive. You cannot keep the joy you will not share.

Don't profess what you do not feel. Your sympathies express more than your words, and determine the breadth of your life.

Don't pray God to shower blessings upon you when they are already falling, and are yours if you are in condition to receive them.

Don't try to meet God in your church only. If you cannot find Him every where, you will find him nowhere. The success of your search depends on the way you search.

Don't shed tears when your attention is called to suffering. The tear of pity is a good thing only when it is accompanied by effort to relieve suffering.

Don't expect heavenly music in every temple. The angel's song can best be heard where hearts are attuned to genuine praise. The angels never sang in costly churches.

### A SHINGLE ROMANCE.

Every one has heard the story of the farm girl who wrote her name and address upon a hen's egg, which went to market with other eggs, and of how that egg was served at breakfast to a lonely bachelor who needed a wife, and how he wrote to her and afterward married her. This story is outclassed by one that took place at Millersburg, O., last week. Forty years ago W. S. Fortune, then a farm hand living near Millers, wanted to marry Martha, daughter of Bradford Middaugh, a well-to-do farmer. He had obtained the girl's consent, but was afraid to ask the consent of her father to the match. One day he strolled to the Middaugh farm, where a barn was being erected, and taking a shingle, wrote his plea for Middaugh's daughter's hand on it, and sent it to his prospective father-in-law. The latter wrote his consent on the shingle and sent it back to Fortune. Fortune never received it, and so drifted West. When the barn was razed last week the shingle was found, and was forthwith forwarded to Fortune in Nebraska. Martha Middaugh sent a letter with it, in which she referred to their engagement, intimating that she was lonesome. Fortune in his response said that he still loved her and would hasten back home to marry her.

### ROOT FOR YOUR TOWN.

If you have made up your mind to live in a town, then stand up for it, and if you know positively

no good, then silence is golden. Do all you can to help along every man who is engaged in a legitimate business. Do not send away for everything nice you want and still expect the home men to keep a stock to suit the whim of one or two customers. The success of your fellow-townsmen will be your success. No man liveth to himself, and no man does business independently of his fellow-business men. Take your home paper. Do not imagine the big dailies fill up all the space. There are many little messages of good cheer, social sunshine, personal mention in the home paper that the big dailies do not print. Do not abuse your neighbor. The main difference in the number of their faults and your own is that you see through a magnifying glass a critic. The ill-omened, the croaker, can do a town more harm in a minute than two good citizens can repair in a month.

### BUSINESS REVIVAL IN 1908.

Dispatches to the Dun's Review indicate seasonable quiet in trade, but there is an undertone of hopefulness regarding the new year.

Boston reports retail business smaller than a year ago especially in expensive merchandise. Wholesale trade show more than seasonable dullness, although there is confidence in early recovery. Textile plants restrict output and raw wool is dull.

Philadelphia report textile manufacturing quiet, but activity increase expected in the spring. Inquiries increase for iron and steel and payments are more prompt. Building work is light, but extensive operations are under contemplation.

Jobbing business at Pittsburg is much reduced as usual during holiday week. There is a fair average retail trade. Recent rains produced abundant water in local rivers, and shipments of coal are heavy.

Although money is tight and payments slow, wholesale trade at Baltimore has improved slightly and straw hat manufactories operate at full capacity. Retail holiday trade was light and considerable stock will be carried over.

Retail trade to Louisville has exceeded expectations, and a better feeling prevails regarding next year, but tanners are only doing half the business of a year ago and collections are still slow.

Wholesale trade is quiet at St. Louis, but retail sales equal last year's and collections are fair. Many mills have closed until after Jan. 1.

Retailers at Kansas City had a heavier holiday trade than last year and country retailers in that district also report a larger retail trade than last year.

Chicago reports that Christmas trade in some lines compared favorably with last year's. Money was circulated freely despite the stringency and the use of clearing

house certificates steadily declined.

Collections at Western points are not prompt, but show improvements. At St. Paul trade is seasonably quiet, but stock are generally in good condition and advance sales for spring are of very satisfactory volume.

Holiday trade at Cleveland was active during the closing days, but the aggregate will compare unfavorably with last year and collections continue slow.

Jobbers at Minneapolis are busy with inventories and customary year-end conditions prevail. Retail holiday trade was heavy, but lumber prices tended downward.

Retail holiday trade was normal at San Francisco, the monetary stringency having little effect except as to collections, which are slow. Weather conditions have been unusually favorable for business and building operations.

### THE FAIR SEX.

Only tongue-tied women suffer from brain fag.

A woman's tears are usually more effective than her words.

The more rights a woman has the less she talks about them.

You never realize how brave some men are until you meet their wives.

Only a heartful girl can afford to keep her domestic virtues under cover.

It sometimes happens that the girl who jilts a young man does him a favor.

A woman speaks volumes with her eyes and whole libraries with her tongue.

Never judge the merit of a joke by the laugh of a woman with dimples and pretty teeth.

A woman is never satisfied unless she has at least one article that her neighbor can borrow.

We always feel sorry for a naturally talkative woman who has an impediment in her speech.

Offer a woman an apology and the chances are she will offer an excuse for not accepting it.

After a woman has made a strenuous but successful effort to marry a certain man she is apt to discover that he is very uncertain.

It is far better for a man to be called down by his wife than to be shown up by his neighbor.

It's the easiest thing in the world for a timid girl to fool a man into believing she will let him have his own way after they are married.

Tom Riordon, seven years old, accidentally shot his brother, Will Riordon, near Cammer, Hart county. The boys were hunting on their father's farm when the gun was accidentally discharged penetrating the bowels. Young Riordon is in a very critical condition.

### FOR SALE.

A new seven room, two story dwelling on Besmer Heights. Apply to  
6-4c Ray Conover.



## Clothing

A 25 Per cent Reduction on all Heavy Weight Suits for Men, Boys, and Children.

## Shoes

In our Shoe Department we are Closing Out some lines at prices away below prices they could be bought now.

## Dry Goods

Every Winter weight article in Dry Goods must go. Bed Blankets, Comforts, Underwear, Hosiery, Facinators, Sweaters, Over Shirts, Men's and Boys' Caps.

## Stock Reduction Sale

Having bought too largely during the past season in some lines of goods, we find ourselves overloaded at a time that stocks should be low—there is but one remedy, cut prices down, regardless of cost and let 'em go. To do this we offer

100 Ladies and Misses Ready-to-ware Skirts at Less than Manufacturers' Cost. 5 dozen Men's Assorted Hats, former price \$1.50 to \$2.00, Sale Price \$1.00. 5 dozen Men's and Boy's Hats former price \$1.00 to \$1.50, now 50c to 75c.

We are Anxious to have you Come in and see our Bargains

**Russell & Co., Columbia, Ky**

## January

## White Goods Sale

In addition to the Bargain Sale in other lines, we have our Spring Stock of White Goods, Embroidries, Etc. Now is the time to buy these goods and make them up before the busy Spring months.

## The Adair County News.

Published Every Wednesday

Adair County News Company.

CHAS. HARRIS - EDITOR

Democratic newspaper devoted to the interests of the city of Columbia and the people of Adair and adjacent counties.

Entered at the Columbia Postoffice as second class mail matter.

WED. JAN. 8, 1908.

## DEMOCRATIC TICKET

For United States Senate—Gov. J. C. W. Beckham

The News from its beginning, has taken the initiative in nearly every proposition that has been agitated for the advancement of this part of the State. It has not failed to point out what appeared to it the line of public action looking for the advancement of Columbia, and the welfare of Adair county in particular. Up to date it has rejoiced in the successful termination of many propositions that have added much to the material interests of both town and county, and it has likewise seen some of its most cherished hopes placed on the cooling board of indifference, or considered impractical by the people whose interests it has so earnestly espoused. Just now this town and this county should consider several propositions that have heretofore been presented, and which must be adjusted by the people, or permit a long period of depression to wipe out the advantages heretofore gained. The News does not attempt to be prophetic, but if any man can see a bright future in inactivity and nondevelopment of our resources, then the News is blind to conditions. The last few years have been a period of activity, and our community has out done all others in Southern Kentucky. We have built bridges, improved our public roads, and have taken steps to build two important macadam roads that mean much for the county. Columbia seized the opportunity to secure one of the best schools in the State, and to drive away the slumbers that paralyzed the usefulness of another. Today we have two

schools full and overflowing, as it were, and the population and value of property doubled within the last five years. Look over the town, view the county, figure efforts and results, and come out through our columns with your conclusions. The News tenders its space, or a reasonable portion of it, to any public spirited citizen who is not content with the shadow that darkens our immediate future. While we are here to aid, as best we can, yet it is not our desire nor our purpose to continually insist on certain lines that seem good to us. We must all prosper together, or suffer the same common fate. It appears, however, that something "must be did," or something will do itself. Think about a stitch in time.

The Jury in the Caleb Powers case failed to agree. It stood ten for acquittal and two for conviction. The attorneys for Powers made, and argued a motion for bail which was overruled by Judge Morris, who fixed July 6 for the next trial. Application for a pardon has been made to Governor Willson, and petitions are now being generally circulated. Ten of the jurors signed an affidavit, stating that they did not believe, from the evidence, that Jim Howard fired the shot that killed Goebel.

Clarence Sturgeon, the Marion county boy who murdered three men in Louisville last June one year ago, was executed in the jail yard last Friday morning at sun rise. Every thing possible was done to save his neck. For several months Sturgeon was very religious, a catholic in faith, and a few days before he took his departure, he told several of the jail inmates that he was better off than they; that he would go straight to glory.

All the recently elected State officers, excepting the Governor and Lieutenant Governor, were sworn in at Frankfort last Monday.

The Kentucky Legislature convened yesterday. The first ballot for United States Senator will be taken on January 20th.

In a speech delivered at a banquet at Seelback's Hotel last week, in honor of the local members of the T. P. A.; Gov. J. C. S. Blackburn stated that the Panama Canal would be ready and in operation any time after four years.

QUARTERLY REPORT  
OF THE  
CITIZENS BANK  
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON  
THE 31ST DAY OF DECEMBER, 1907.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$46,473.70
Overdrafts, unsecured.....	2,029.61
Due from National Banks.....	\$6,027.20
Due from State Banks and Bankers.....	337.79
Mortgages.....	6,492.05
Specie.....	1,643.98
Currency.....	5,512.93
Exchange for Clearings.....	470.76
Other Items carried as Cash.....	302.33
Furniture and Fixtures.....	1,055.00
Current Expenses last Quarter.....	682.18
Give description, location, value and how long owned, all real estate except banking house and lot, if any owned longer than five years. Don't own any.	
Lease on Building.....	200.00
	70,581.37

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in, in cash.....	15,000.00
Surplus Fund.....	1,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	214.00
Deposits subject to check for which interest is not paid.....	50,367.37
Bills rediscounted.....	4,000.00
SUPPLEMENTARY	
Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceeds 20 per cent of capital stock actually paid in, and actual amount of surplus of the bank.....	None
Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent of paid-up capital stock of bank.....	None
Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof, exceed 30 per cent of paid-up capital and actual surplus.....	None
Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring a dividend, and was not less than 10 per cent of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared? None declared	
	70,581.37

STATE OF KENTUCKY,  
COUNTY OF ADAIR.  
J. O. BRASSEL, Notary Public  
My commission expires January 15th, 1910

Subscribed and sworn to before me by J. O. Coffey, Cashier of Citizens Bank, a bank located and doing business in the town of Columbia, in said county, being duly sworn, says the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of said bank at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1907, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State designating the 31st day of Dec., 1907, as the day on which such report shall be made.

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I have a good 2 story 7 room dwelling near my mill for sale. Near an acre of ground embracing yard and garden goes with it. Good out buildings and every thing in good repair. I also have a good building lot for sale, and will build a house on it to suit the purchaser. W. R. MYERS, Columbia, Ky.

QUARTERLY REPORT  
OF THE  
FARMERS BANK  
Gasey Creek  
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON  
THE 31ST DAY OF DEC. 1907.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$12,706.42
Overdrafts, secured.....	18.36
Overdrafts, unsecured.....	02
Due from National Banks.....	2,894.08
Currency.....	738.69
Other Items carried as cash.....	2,924.69
Furniture and fixtures.....	350.00
Current expenses last quarter.....	2,512.96
	585.44
	21,993.97

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in, in cash.....	\$7,500.00
Undivided profits.....	289.01
Deposits subject to check for which interest is not paid.....	13,904.96
SUPPLEMENTARY	
Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceeds 20 per cent of the Capital stock actually paid in, and the actual amount of surplus of the bank.....	None
Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if the amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent of paid up capital stock of bank.....	None
Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm, including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof, exceed 30 per cent of paid up capital and actual surplus?.....	None
Amount of last dividend.....	\$21,993.97

STATE OF KENTUCKY,  
COUNTY OF ADAIR.  
R. C. JOHNS, Cashier of Farmers Bank, Gasey Creek, Kentucky, a bank located and doing business at Main street in the town of Gasey Creek, Ky., in said county, being duly sworn, says the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of said bank, at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1907, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State designating the 31st day of Dec., 1907, as the day on which such report shall be made.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by R. C. JOHNS, Cashier of Farmers Bank, Gasey Creek, Ky., in said county, being duly sworn, says the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of said bank, at the close of business on the 31st day of Dec., 1907, to the best of his knowledge and belief, and further says that the business of said bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State, designating the 31st day of Dec., 1907, as the day on which such report shall be made.

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Rank Foolishness.  
"When attacked by a cough or a cold or when your throat is sore, it is rank foolishness to take any other medicine than Dr. King's New Discovery," says C. O. Eldridge, of Empire, Ga. "I have used New Discovery seven years and I know it is the best remedy on earth for coughs and colds, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. My children are subject to croup, but New Discovery quickly cures every attack." Known the world over as the King of throat and lung remedies. Sold under guarantee at T. E. Paul's Drug store. 20c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

QUARTERLY REPORT  
OF THE  
BANK OF COLUMBIA  
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE  
31ST DAY OF DEC. 1907.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts.....	\$85,272.03
Overdrafts Unsecured.....	1,343.47
Due from National Banks.....	14,670.27
Due from State Banks and Bankers.....	5,576.85
Banking house and lot.....	2,000.00
Mortgages.....	62,773.40
Other stocks and bonds.....	20,361.77
Specie.....	3,870.86
Currency.....	11,432.90
Other items carried as cash.....	15,908.86
Furniture and fixtures.....	371.37
Current Expenses, Last Quarter.....	30,000.00
Give description, location, value and how long owned, all real estate, except banking house and lot. If any owned longer than five years. Don't own any.	
	\$208,678.02

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in, in cash.....	\$30,000.00
Surplus fund.....	30,000.00
Undivided Profits.....	2,000.00
Deposits subject to check, on which interest is not paid.....	145,568.93
Bills rediscounted.....	9,778.00
Am't set aside for Taxes.....	1,109.09
SUPPLEMENTARY	
Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceeds 20 per cent of capital stock actually paid in, and actual amount of surplus of the bank.....	None
Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent of paid-up capital stock of bank.....	None
Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm, including in the liability of the company or firm, the liability of the individual members thereof, exceed 30 per cent of paid-up capital and actual surplus?.....	None
Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes deducted therefrom before declaring a dividend, and was not less than 10 per cent of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared?.....	None

STATE OF KENTUCKY,  
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FOR SALE.  
A new 7 room, two-story residence, good well and all necessary outbuildings, in Columbia. See Geo. T. Flowers, Jr., agent.

## PERSONAL

Mrs. Z. T. Williams is reported some better.

Mr. W. F. Jeffries is in Louisville this week.

Mr. Tom Wilson, Cave City, was here last week.

Dr. Peter Conover returned to Louisville last Friday.

Miss Lillie Judd returned to Georgetown yesterday.

Mr. W. E. Bradshaw was quite sick several days of last week.

Mr. T. J. Cundiff, of Louisville, visited in Columbia last week.

Mr. Jo Z. Conover, Montpelier, was here last Thursday.

Rev. J. P. Scruggs and wife returned to Midway last Thursday.

Mr. Leonard Wilson, Russell Springs, visited in Columbia last week.

Mrs. Flora Frazer is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Patterson.

Mrs. Frank Strange, of Glenville, has been quite sick for the past week.

Miss Hattie Lewis is on an extended visit to Louisville, Nashville and Glasgow.

Mr. C. A. Walker and daughter, Mrs. Ida Marshall, visited Columbia last week.

Mr. Robt E. Lloyd, an attorney of Jamestown, was reported quite ill last week.

Mr. Cleo Sherrill, Russell Springs, spent a few days of last week in this place.

Mrs. L. L. Rounds and daughter, Miss Ione, left for Russell Springs last Sunday.

Mrs. H. T. Jesse, who lives in the Breeding country, is lying very low of a fever.

Mr. L. W. Bennett, who has been quite sick for several weeks, is reported better.

Mr. L. R. Humble, who resides at Ecto, left for Texas yesterday morning, his future home.

Miss Lethia Walmore and brother Bob, are the guest of Miss Mildred and Mr. Dock Walker.

Mr. G. W. Thomas, who spent the holidays in Columbia, left last Thursday to go over his territory.

Mrs. Elymus McWhorter and Miss Mary Hood, of Oklahoma, are visiting in the Cane Valley country.

Miss Vernon Dohoney who has been conducting a millinery store at Hartford, Ala., returned home last week.

Mr. Elias Kidd, a prominent merchant of Liberty, was here last Saturday. He entered two pupils in the Lindsey-Wilson.

Mr. W. F. Hancock leaves for Frankfort to-day where he will enter the Auditor's office as clerk. His wife will not go to Frankfort for several weeks.

Mrs. Bettie W. Butler left for Meridian, Miss., Saturday morning. Her niece, Miss Elsie Dixon teaches music in that city and Mrs. Butler will remain with her several months.

Rev. John Carpenter, who will be remembered as a student in school here several years ago, visited in the county last week. He is now preaching for a large church in Mississippi.

## FOR SALE.

I have 10 acres of land, half in cultivation, the rest in timber, well watered, a good 5-room house, good outbuilding, a store house, 22 by 46 feet, with a stock of goods that will invoice from \$1000 to \$1200. Post office in store. As good stand as can be secured in Taylor county. I want to sell on account of my health. Call or write me if interested in an investment of this kind. (7-2m)

W. T. ELDER, Atchison, Ky.

## THE M. &amp; F. HIGH SCHOOL,

## TUITION.

Primary,	\$2.00
Intermediate,	2.50
High School,	3.00
Normal,	3.00
Art,	2.00
Piano,	2.00
Voice,	4.00
Harmony,	1.00
Musical History,	1.00

The band boys have employed Prof. Boyer for the winter. He is an instructor of long experience.

Read our big contest proposition and get into the fight.

Additional local news can be found on the second page of this paper.

Monday was county court. Fair crowd in town and business reasonably good.

The Cane Valley High School opened Monday morning with seventy-five pupils.

Last Monday was the banner subscription day for the News. See list of names.

To-day is the anniversary of the battle of New Orleans. It was fought January 8, 1815.

The suit of The Wood Mosaic Flooring Company against T. T. Tupman, has been settled out of court.

I have a lot of men's and boys long Ulster overcoats that I am closing out at cost. W. L. Walker.

Wanted:—At once two white cooks and two waiters. Ladies preferred. Lindsey Wilson School.

If you want groceries cheap, go to Geo. W. Staples' store. He is selling at cost for spot cash. 9-2t

This is the week of prayer. The meetings are being largely attended. Services this (Tuesday) evening at the Baptist church.

In writing to the News to have your address changed, or if you should want to discontinue, state your present post-office.

Have made big reductions on men's and boys clothing, over coats. Call and see them and get a bargain. W. L. Walker.

It is very probable that another dormitory will be built on the Lindsey-Wilson hill. It is very apparent that another one is necessary.

The cashier of the Bank of Columbia submits a statement this week. It shows that the old institution is strong, having a surplus of \$30,000.

## TURKEYS WANTED.

Will pay the following prices at the following places: 8 cent Cane Valley, Thursday the 9; 10 cent at Greensburg Friday 10. R. B. Wilson. 9-1t.

## MASONIC ELECTION.

Glenfork Lodge, No. 628, F. and A. M., elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

H. K. Taylor, W. M.  
J. W. Marshall, S. W.  
M. E. Blair, J. W.  
J. V. Dudley, Sec'y.  
H. K. Walkup, Treas.  
C. A. Walker, Tyler.  
W. A. Garnett, S. D.  
W. L. Brockman, J. D.

## ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT

G. C. Russell, Gdn. &c. Plff,  
vs  
Ethel Russell, Dft.

Persons having claims against the estate of T. J. Russell (deceased) are hereby notified to present them before me properly proven as required by law on or before the 23rd day of January 1908—Failure to comply with this order will forever bar your claim against the estate.—HERSHEL T. BAKER M. C. A. C. C. 9-3t

## FAMILY REUNION.

On Wednesday, Dec. 25, 1907, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Garrison, Columbia, Ky. A bountiful dinner was spread to which the following were present:

Rev. S. J. Nichols, Andrews Garrison, wife and five children, Henry Garrison, wife and three children, Tom Garrison, wife and five children, J. A. Wright, wife and two children. Then five children that are at home, also Mr. Rob Garrison, cousin, of Pickett, Ky. At 1:30 o'clock P. M. all were invited into another room to view a beautiful family Christmas Tree, which contained a beautiful present for every one of the family and all that were present. The next morning Mr. Coy, of Columbia, was invited to come out to the home of Mr. Garrison to take the family group, which consists of thirty one members. This reunion was much enjoyed by all present and will be long remembered. One who was present.

## The News Merit Contest

## Be up and Doing, and Get a Valuable Prize

On the 15th day of April, 1908, The News will give to **FOUR YOUNG LADIES IN ADAIR COUNTY** the following premiums: To the one receiving the largest number of votes (as below stated) **A BEAUTIFUL GOLD WATCH**, 20 year guarantee case, Elgin movements—an accurate time keeper. To the second **A GOLD BRACELET**; Third, **A BEAUTIEUL SET RING**, and to Fourth **A GOLD BROOCH**.

## CONDITIONS of CONTEST

For every dollar paid on Subscription, whether to settle arrearage or to advance Subscription, **125 VOTES WILL BE ALLOWED**.

For every New Subscriber paying \$1.00, **150 VOTES**.

For less than a dollar, a vote for each cent, whether new or old subscriber.

**FIVE HUNDRED VOTES WILL BE REQUIRED** to place anyone in nomination, after which any number of votes will be accepted and placed to her credit.

No one directly or indirectly connected with The News will be admitted to the Contest.

The name of every contestant and the exact number of votes to her credit will be published each week so any one, who desires, may keep up with the contest.

The ballots will be filed away, and in the event of a close finish, will be produced to satisfy any doubts.

No one connected with this office will espouse the cause of any one contestant—It is a Merit Contest and must be determined by the activity of the contestants and not by any solicitation or work on the part of anyone connected with The News.

Every article offered is genuine and guaranteed. Call at Paul's drug store and see the articles and be convinced that The News is offering meritorious gifts for meritorious results. Nominations are now in order. Fill out the following:

## EDITOR NEWS:

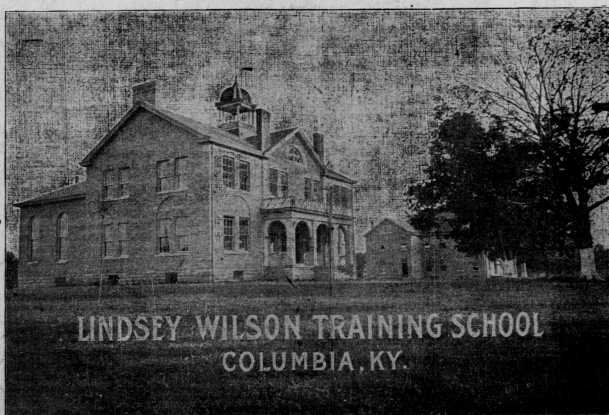
Find enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_ which place to the credit of \_\_\_\_\_ on subscription

and give Miss \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Votes.

Yours truly,

## The best School in Kentucky for Your Children.



Spring Term Opens Jan. 1st, 1908.

Tuition \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 per month.

Bookkeeping course \$4 per month.

Engage room before term begins.

## Special Rate

\$50.00 .. In Advance .. \$50.00  
Pays  
Tuition, Board and Incidentals  
for Five Months.

For further information address  
NEILSON & MOSS, Columbia, Ky.



## SHORT METER SERMON.

Our lives are the lips of the Most High.

Only a coward will hide behind his conscience.

Your superiority does not depend on your pedestal.

Selt is only thing that really can break love ties.

Religion is the touch of the infinite on all our affairs.

An honest message never has trouble finding hearers.

It takes more than headache cures to set the heart right.

The only worthy living thing is that which puts the soul on top.

A cross disposition is no evidence of bearing the divine cross.

No great deeds are done without the doing of many little details.

No man increases his own good reputation by stealing another's.

When a man boasts of his courage he is giving it absent treatment.

Society has its temptations, but they are nothing to those of solitude.

Preach the pleasures of piety and people willingly will bear its pains.

You might be walking theological seminary and still be traveling the wrong road.

## A SOFT SNAP.

The members of the house of Representatives this year will draw \$7,500 as their pay, with \$1,500 for clerk, whether they hire one at any price or none at all. Most of them will not, making their compensation \$9,000. Then they will have \$125 for "stationery" and the privilege of franking anything thru the mails from a grand piano up or down. In addition to this a stately and costly office building has been built for them at immense expense having 400 rooms and "all the modern conveniences." There another "unconsidered trifles" to be added to this, such as their mileage. But what of it? Considering that the members of Congress seem to be able to vote themselves anything they like, a Congressman can say: "When I think of what I might have done, by heaven, I am astonished at my own moderation." Incidentally, it would be interesting, as a matter of curious information, to know how much of deficit in the postoffice department is due to the possession of the franking privilege by the members of Congress.

## A QUEER KIND OF BATH.

The Finns, who live in northern Europe, have a way of bathing that American children would think very funny, and not so very pleasant.

A bath house is built, and all the village uses the one house. At the entrance is a vestibule with benches around it. Here the bathers remove their clothes. The bathroom opens from this,

# For Ladies Pills

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room, and in it there is a big stone furnace, with a circular hole in the top which is filled with smooth stones from the seashore. When the people arrange to come for their bath the fire is lighted in the furnace, and the stones get sizzling hot.

Then the bathers come and take their seats on a wide bench which is placed high up on one side, close to the roof, resting their feet on another bench below. Then the doors and windows are closed tight, and water poured over the hot stones. Instantly the little room is filled with steam and the bathers sit here until they perspire freely, in the meanwhile scrubbing themselves with small pine boughs cut from evergreen trees and bushes. These they leave in readiness for the next comers.

Don't you think you should like the American plan better?

## A TRUTHFUL BOY.

How people do trust a truthful boy! We never worry about him when he is out of sight. We never say "I wonder where he is; I wish I knew what he is doing; I wonder whom he is with; I wonder why he doesn't come home. Nothing of the sort. We know he is all right, and that when he does come home we will know all about it and get it straight. We don't have to ask him where he is going and how long he will be gone every time he leaves the house. We don't have to call him back and make him "solemnly promise" the same thing over and over or three times. When he says, "Yes, I will, or 'No I won't' just once, that settles it.—Ex.

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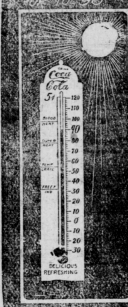
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Fully two-thirds of the talk people hand you is hot air.

A bluff is all right as long as you can keep the lid on.

Beware of the man who is forever harping on his honesty.

Some men uphold a good thing, and some attempt to hold it up.

There are more born leaders than there are processions to head.

Inability to obtain a seat at the political pie counter begets reform.

It is just as well to forget most of the promises people make to you.

Learning to be content with what we have is what jolts most of us.

The last drop of water will not come to the man who waits by a river.

Wise is the man who knows what not to say, and remembers not to say it.

When a man takes himself too seriously he seldom takes other people seriously enough.

The neighbors may know what you have got, but what they don't always know is how you got it.

It is better to work than to be worked.

Success is apt to beget success, unless the successful party is unable to stand prosperity.

Listening to the troubles of their neighbors affords some people a lot of pleasure.

Money is either a man's slave or his master.

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Many years ago, an English adventurer, altogether unscrupulous, organized a band of desperadoes, invaded and destroyed a city of Borneo, killing all its inhabitants except possibly one or two, and carried off untold treasures of gold dust and jewels of great price. He returned

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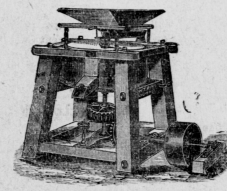
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## A WOMAN JURY.

For the first time in Colorado's history, and perhaps in the history of the country, a jury composed entirely of women, served throughout a lawsuit, finally rendering a verdict. The suit was tried before Justice Carlon and involved the question whether a garment purchased by a woman from a local merchant fitted the purchaser. The jury decided that it did fit. If a movement started by women voters of Colorado succeeds, two women will be among the delegates to the Democratic National Convention and one will be Mrs. Ruth Bryan Leavitt, eldest daughter of William J. Bryan. Some advocate Mrs. Leavitt's selection as a delegate. Mrs. Leavitt has been a resident of Denver five years and is president of the Jane Jefferson Club of that city. She is now in Europe with her mother.

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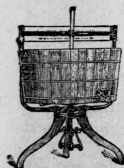
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Editor News:—

I am sending you one dollar to pay for the good old News another year. I have been here two years, have not been without the News one single week and I sure enjoy reading it.

Farmers have been very busy plowing until a few days ago, when we were visited by a Northern snow about six inches deep. There were fine crops raised here this year. Corn is worth one dollar and quarter per hundred, hogs worth 4 and 5 cents per pound; flour \$3.00 per hundred; cattle low; horses and mules very high. Wheat looks fine here for the time of year.

Jack rabbits are fat, I killed one last week, weighed 35 pounds; Broom corn and cotton will be our money crops—both grow fine.

Mr. Will Taylor and family have gone to Texas. His many friends here regretted very much to give him up. L. G. McClister proved up his claim last week.

W. E. Collins has lately completed his well. O. B. Bloyd returned from Roswell a few days ago, where he has been in business and is now upon his claim. I will close by saying, come West boys, get you 160 acres of good land and quit cutting sprouts.

J. K. Powell.

**ELLER.**

Mr. A. L. Foley and daughter, are visiting his parents in Lincoln county this week.

Mr. Seth Wade, of Longstreet, visited her parents here Thursday.

W. P. Bernard was in Jamestown on business Saturday.

Miss Millie Bernard is visiting her brother Frank Bernard, at McKinney, Ky., at this writing.

T. B. Lay, of Russell Springs, was here X-mas day.

A. L. Eoley sold W. G. Bolin two fat hogs last week at 5cts. per pound.

Jacob Webb and Miss Nannie Bolin are visiting the family, of Mr. H. T. Foley in Lincoln county, at this writing.

The school at this place taught by Mr. B. J. Bolin, will close next Tuesday.

Mr. J. C. McQueary and Miss Cordelia Wilson were united in marriage last Sunday, Rev. W. N. Coffey officiating.

Mr. Arcylus Flanagan and Miss Victoria Williams were married a few days ago, Rev. A. T. Chrisman officiating.

Ed Miller and family, of Russell Springs, passed through here Friday enroute home from a visit to Mr. Miller's father who resides near Cool Spring.

**SPARKSVILLE,**

Our school closed last Friday. We must say in honor of Miss Nannie that her school has been a success from start to finish. The children have all learned fast and not the least bit of trouble has there been during the term.

Mr. David Kinaird, of Nell, was transacting business at this place Thursday.

Mr. V. Sullivan who is traveling for the Columbia Grocery Co. called on our merchants Wednesday.

J. F. Gilpin and sons made a business trip to Columbia one day last week.

Lucien Bardena made a business trip to Columbia last week.

Otis Stapp, Ed Bradshaw and sister attended the close of the school at the Wilson's School House last Friday with Miss Nora Bradshaw as teacher, she is one among the best.

A. T. Coomer, a made business trip to Columbia last Friday.

Wyatt Akin made a business trip to Columbia last week.

Born, to the wife, of Olie Breeding on the 20th a girl.

**DIRIGO.**

Weddings are the order of the day.

Miss Annie Strange is visiting her sister Mrs. A. C. Froedge, of Breeding, this week.

Miss Susie Rosson, of East Fork is visiting her brothers, Mr. E. J. and T. J. Rosson this week.

Misses Juliza Wilson and Polly Harvey, of Gradyville, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hundley the first of the week.

The Christmas tree at Breeding X-mas day was largely attended.

Miss Helena Hundley visited her aunt Mrs. Arthur Royse last Wednesday night.

Mr. Venus Royse who has been very low with typhoid fever, is slowly improving.

Mr. Hadis Harvey is on the sick list this week.

There will be a basket singing at Breeding the third Sunday in this month conducted by Prof. Hill.

The school at Birds closed Tuesday Dec. 24 under the management of Prof. R. L. Campbell. This makes the fourth term for him at this place. Prof. Campbell is a great favorite with his pupils and also the entire district.

We would all be glad to have him with us another term.

**NEW YEAR REVERIES.**

The days, weeks and years slip away like water in a running stream. Time's great clock never loses a moment. Relentlessly, surely the moments pass, and our eager hands are not able to detain them. We cannot keep back the flying years, but we can and should keep the blessings they bring. Hold fast to the lessons they have taught. Keep the memory of their joys. Enrich every day of life with the garnered wealth of the days behind. The years pass, but they leave their treasure with us, if our hands and heart are open to receive them, so as with one hand we shake farewell to 1907, let us stretch out the other hand to warmly greet and welcome 1908.

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## WITH OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Week's Happenings—News Important or Otherwise as Reported By Our Corps of Correspondents.

### GRADYVILLE.

We had a good rain last Saturday.

L. C. Hindman and wife spent a few days at Milltown last week.

Dr. J. A. Yates, of Edmonson, was shaking hands with friends here last Wednesday.

Geo. H. Nell spent a few days of last week in the Russell creek section looking after fat cattle.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bell is spending a few days at Edmonson this week visiting relatives.

Senator L. C. Nell started for Frankfort last Sunday.

Messrs. Leonard Wilson and Cleo Shirrell, two popular young men, of Russell Springs, spent several days during the holidays in our midst.

We are glad to note that Miss Ruth, a little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Strong Hill has recovered from her recent attack of fever.

The young people of this community were highly entertained one night last week at a social gathering at Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Sherrill's.

Dr. L. C. Nell spent a day or so at Edmonson last week visiting relatives.

Mr. Hershel Sherrill, who has been in Texas and New Mexico for the past two or three years, has returned and is thinking of making this his home here for awhile at least.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Wilmore is now connected with the outside world by telephone.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Paxton, of Bliss, spent a few days of last week with the family of Mr. Clem Keltner, of our city.

Mr. Ed Baker and family, who have been living near Bliss for the past year are now citizens of our community, we are glad to have this good family in our community.

Rev. J. A. Johnston filled the pulpit at the Methodist church in our city last Sunday night with a very interesting sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cris Stephens entertained a number of our young people one night during the holidays.

Jo Moore sold his farm one day last week to Dock Rupe for the sum of \$200 cash. Mr. Moore and family have moved to Robert O. Keltner's property near town.

Mr. J. A. Wheeler, formerly of this county, now, of Three Springs, Hart county, was here last Friday on business.

The report shows that the Union Sunday School that is held at the Baptist church in our city, met forty-eight times during the year just closed and the average attendance was thirty eight, and much interest manifested.

Mr. M. Corbin, one of the firm of Corbin & Rowe, of Sparksville, who have been engaged in the stove business for a number of years, was in our midst last Friday and informed us that they would be ready for business in a few days again. They too suspended business on account of the recent panic. As it is all over business will move off as it did before.

Mrs. Ella Y. Robertson was the recipient of a manicure set from her Sunday School pupils the last Sunday of the year. Mrs. Robertson has been the teacher of a class of young ladies in the Union School here for a number of years and for the interest and her faithfulness to them and in token of same they presented her with this beautiful set. Mrs. Robertson informed your reporter that words could not express her appreciation for this beautiful gift.

On last Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock sharp, quite a number of our city people in connection with the folks from the country gathered at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Strong Hill to hear the ceremony pronounced between Mrs. Diddle Bragg and Mr. W. P. Flowers, which was done by Rev. Walhart, of Edmonson in a very impressive manner. This union unites two of our best people. Their many friends wish them a long life and much success.

### PELHAM.

X-mas passed off quietly at this place.

Mr. Ernest Cundiff spent part of X-mas in Green Co.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Banks, of Absher, spent the holidays here.

Miss Cora Pickett visited Misses Anna and Lela Cundiff the latter part of X-mas. They also attended the social at Mr. McAllister's Cane Valley. Every one enjoyed themselves hugely, and so sorry when the hour of parting came.

Mr. Henry Simpson was bitten on the arm by a very poisonous insect one night last week, and is suffering very much pain at this writing.

Mr. Wesley Bennett has moved in Dick Hutchison house for the year 1-08.

Carl Cape who has been working for Ernest Cundiff has hired to James Suddarth for 1908.

Miss Campbell, of Webb's X-roads is visiting at Mr. Henry Simpson's.

Miss Kate Squires and Emma Thomas, Will Edd Squires and Cassius Breeding are visiting at Dunnville this week.

Mr. Henry Simpson was in Greensburg last week on business. J. P. Cundiff was in Cane Valley this week, hauling logs for Mr. Gibbins.

Mr. Miller, of Dunnville, spent X-mas at S. E. Squires, also Mr. Elwin Hardwick, of Neatsburg.

Miss Montra Cundiff and brother, John Will, were sufferers from a severe sore throat last week.

Mrs. Jeff Bumgarner and two daughters will leave in a short time for Illinois, to visit the family of Tom Bumgarner.

Miss Ina Dohoney will leave the 3rd for Bradfordsville, where she has a position. We regret very much to give Miss Ina up. Good luck to you Miss Ina where ever you go.

Mr. Willie Speares and family, of Taylor Co., were visiting the family of Charlie Hutchison during the week of X-mas.

Miss Mary Squires entered the L. W. S. T. Monday Jan. 6th.

John Willie Cundiff will enter the Cane Vally High School Jan. 6th.

Mont Murray, of color, bought one horse from Henry Brynrt for \$26.00

Mr. Sam Browning and brother, Sawney were visiting at Geo. Todd's during X-mas.

Miss Willard Huffaker will teach our school at Hutchison's Shool house. Miss Willard will start at once to Bowling Green, to enter school until time to commence her school.

### JOPPA.

Mrs. Jane Hieston and daughter, Miss Mary, of Campbellsville, are visiting the family of W. W. Brockman this week.

Mr. Horace Young, who has been sick for some time is, improving rapidly.

Eldridge and Walter Barger, X Brockman and R. G. Willis have entered the L. W. T. S.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Hurt entertained quite a number of their young friends last Friday night in honor of their cousin Miss Mary Hieston, of Campbellsville.

Several of the young folks of this place attended an entertainment at the Blair School house, last Friday night and reported a nice time.

Miss Tina Brockman and cousin Miss Mary Hieston are visiting relatives at Creelsboro.

## QUARTERLY REPORT

OF THE

## FARMERS BANK

At the Close of Business on the 31st Day of December, 1907.

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$23 649 49
Overdrafts, unsecured	174 03
Due from National Banks	\$3 815 54
Due from State Banks and Bankers	1 000 00
Banking House and Lot	4 815 54
Specie	3 025 00
Currency	\$841 37
Exchange for Clearing	1 829 00
Furniture and Fixtures	2 701 37
	86 83
	1 705 00
	36 156 82

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in, in cash	\$7 500 00
Undivided Profits	456 92
Deposits subject to check (on which interest is not paid)	\$28 139 90
Capital Stock not Paid	28 100 00
	7 500 00

### SUPPLEMENTARY

Highest amount of indebtedness of any stockholder, person, company or firm (including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof) directly or indirectly, if such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent of capital stock actually paid in, and actual amount of surplus of that bank:.....None

Highest amount of indebtedness of any director or officer, if the amount of such indebtedness exceeds 10 per cent of paid-up capital stock of bank. None

Does amount of indebtedness of any person, company or firm, including in the liability of the company or firm the liability of the individual members thereof, of exceed 10 per cent of paid-up capital and actual surplus?.....None

Were all expenses, losses, interest and taxes paid or provided for before declaring dividend, and was not less than 10 per cent of net profits of the bank for the period covered by the dividend carried to the surplus fund before said dividend was declared. None Declared

STATE OF KENTUCKY ) ss  
County of Adair )

O. W. McAllister, Cashier of Farmers Bank, a Bank located and doing business at Main street in the City of Cane Valley in said county, being duly sworn, says the foregoing report is in all respects a true statement of the condition of the said Bank, at the close of business on the 31 day of December, 1907, to the best of his knowledge and belief; and further says that the business of said Bank has been transacted at the location named, and not elsewhere; and that the above report is made in compliance with an official notice received from the Secretary of State designating the 31 day of Dec. 1907, as the day on which such report shall be made.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by O. W. McAllister the 2nd day of January, 1908.

J. W. Sublett, Notary Public.  
My commission expires January 8, 1910  
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